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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: **DeCaprio, Seppala and Rizq**  
Application No.: **09/970459**  
Filed: **October 2, 2001**  
For: **STENT DELIVERY WITH MEMBRANE**  
Examiner:  
Group Art Unit: **3738**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Docket No.: S63.2R-10083-US

## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

1. In regard to the above-identified application, we are submitting the attached:  
5 pg Information Disclosure Statement; 4 references; VAS transmittal
2. With respect to fees:  
☒ No additional fee is required.  
Attached are checks in the amount of  
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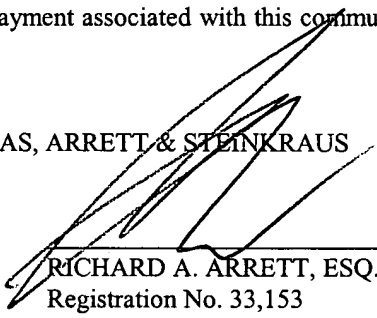
## CONDITIONAL PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

3. This conditional petition is being filed along with the papers identified in Item 1 above and provides for the possibility that Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time. If any extension of time for the accompanying response is required, Applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.
4. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment associated with this communication to the Deposit Account No. 22-0350.

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Dated: Sept. 26, 2002

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Certificate Under 37 CFR 1.8: I hereby certify that this Transmittal Letter and the paper(s) as described herein, are being deposited in the U.S. Postal Service, as FIRST-CLASS MAIL, addressed to Commissioner for Patents, Washington D.C. 20231, on Sept. 26, 2002

  
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